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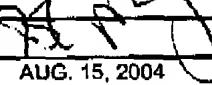
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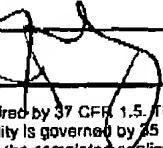
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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09 / 779 362 First Named Applicant: RAWSON
 Examiner: PATEL, H Art Unit: 2154 Status of Application: UNDER NONFINAL REJ

Tentative Participants:

(1) JOSEPH LALLY #38,947 (2) _____

(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 8/25/04 Proposed Time: 10:30 AM (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) Telephonic (2) Personal (3) Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: YES

NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
REJ (1) _____	CLAIM 1, 12, 18	YUASA, GANZ, HOFFMAN	[]	[]	[]
REJ (2) _____	9, 17, 24	NOT KNOWN	[]	[]	[]
(3) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]
(4) _____	_____	_____	[]	[]	[]

Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

prioritized host processor interrupts to initiate servicing of protocol data units (PDUs) that are buffered in the server NIC not taught by references
 rejection of 9, 17, and 24 not discussed in detailed action

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE:

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